

AGENDA



RCA	Austin City Council	Item ID	5698
Meeting Date:	4/21/2011	Department:	Austin Police Department

Subject

Approve a resolution authorizing the application for \$415,562 in grant funding from the Texas Department of Transportation, Texas Automobile Burglary and Theft Prevention Authority, to implement the Austin Police Department project entitled APD Auto Burglary and Theft Interdiction Project.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$415,562 is available from the Texas Department of Transportation, Texas Automobile Burglary and Theft Prevention Authority for the project period of September 1, 2011 – August 31, 2012. A city match of \$103,889 is required and will be met by accounting for portions of the salaries of existing personnel, online usage fees, and internet billing costs.

Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	
For More Information:	Patti Robinson, Assistant Chief / 974-5030
Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

This action provides the resolution needed by the Texas Department of Transportation, Texas Automobile Burglary and Theft Prevention Authority to complete the application process related to \$415,562 in grant funding. The project period is September 1, 2011 – August 31, 2012.

Grant funds will allow for the continuation of the salaries for five FTEs: three detective positions, a neighbourhood liaison, an administrative assistant. Grant funding will also cover the costs of sworn and civilian overtime, training, and supplies.

The grantor requires a resolution approved by council that addresses items one through four below.

1. Authorization by your governing body for the submission of the application that clearly identifies the name of the project for which funding is requested;

2. A commitment to provide all applicable matching funds;
3. A designation of the name and/or title of an authorized official who is given the authority to apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate a grant (Note: If a name is provided, you must update CJD should the official change during the grant period.); and
4. A written assurance that, in the event of loss or misuse of grant funds, the governing body will return all funds to CJD.